

# PRIEST OR LEWITE? BRIDE OR GUEST?

PRIEST	LEWITE
<p><b>Bemidbar 18:5,7</b> And you shall guard the duty of the set-apart place and the duty of the altar, so that there be no more wrath on the children of Yisra'el. . . .<sup>7</sup>But you and your sons with you are to guard your priesthood for all matters <i>at the altar and behind the veil</i>, and you shall serve. I have given you the priesthood as a gift for service, but the stranger who comes near is put to death.</p>	<p><b>Bemidbar 18:2-3</b> But bring with you your brothers of the tribe of Lewi too, the tribe of your father to join you and serve you while you and your sons are with you before the Tent of the Witness. <sup>3</sup>And they shall guard your charge, and the duty of all the Tent, <i>but they do not come near the furnishings of the set-apart place and the altar, lest they die, both they and you.</i></p>
<p><b>Yehezqel 44:15,17</b> “But the priests, the Lewites, the sons of Tsadoq, who guarded the duty of My set-apart place when the children of Yisra'el went astray from Me, <i>they shall draw near to Me to serve Me</i>, and shall stand before Me to bring to Me the fat and the blood,” declares the Master יהוה. . .<sup>17</sup>And it shall be, when they enter the gates of the inner courtyard, that <i>they put on linen garments</i> . . . .</p>	<p><b>Yehezqel 44:10-14</b> And the Lewites who went far from Me, when Yisra'el went astray, <i>who strayed away from Me after their idols</i>, they shall bear their crookedness. <sup>11</sup>And they were attendants in My set-apart place, as gatekeepers of the house and attendants of the house, slaughtering the burnt offering and the offering for the people, and standing before them to attend to them. <sup>12</sup>Because they attended to them before their idols and became a stumbling-block of crookedness to the house of Yisra'el, therefore I have lifted My hand in an oath against them,” declares the Master יהוה, “that <i>they shall bear their crookedness, <sup>13</sup>and not come near Me to serve as My priest, nor come near any of that which is set-apart to Me, nor into the Most Set-apart Place. And they shall bear their shame and their abominations which they have done.</i> <sup>14</sup>Yet I shall make them those who guard the duty of the House, for all its work, and for all that has to be done in it.</p>
MARY	MARTHA
<p><b>Luke 10:39,42</b> And she had a sister called Miryam, who also sat at the feet of יהושע and heard His word. . . .<sup>42</sup>but one only is necessary, and Miryam has chosen the good portion, which shall not be taken away from her.</p>	<p><b>Luke 10:40-41</b> But Martha was distracted with much serving, and coming up she said, “Master, are You not concerned that my sister has left me to serve alone? Speak to her then, to help me.”<sup>41</sup>And יהושע answering, said to her, “Martha, Martha, you are worried and troubled about many matters . . .”</p>
<p><b>Yohanan 12:1,3</b> Accordingly יהושע, six days before the Passover, came to Beyth Anyah, where El'azar was, who had died, whom He raised from the dead. . . .<sup>3</sup>Then Miryam took a pound of costly perfume of nard, anointed the feet of יהושע, and wiped His feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume.</p>	<p><b>Yohanan 12:2</b> So they made Him a supper there, and Martha served, while El'azar was one of those who sat at the table with Him.</p>
BRIDE	GUEST
<p><b>Revelation 19:7-8</b> Let us be glad and rejoice and give Him praise, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and <i>His wife prepared herself. <sup>8</sup>And to her it was given to be dressed in fine linen, clean and bright</i>, for the fine linen is the righteousnesses of the set-apart ones.</p>	<p><b>1Cor 3:11-15</b> For no one is able to lay any other foundation except that which is laid, which is יהושע Messiah. <sup>12</sup>And if anyone builds on this foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, <sup>13</sup>each one's work shall be revealed, for the day shall show it up, because it is revealed by fire. And the fire shall prove the work of each one, what sort it is. <sup>14</sup>If anyone's work remains, which he has built on, he shall receive a reward. <sup>15</sup>If anyone's work is burned, he shall suffer loss, but he himself shall be saved, but so as through fire.</p>

# APPLICATION:

1. REPENT AND BE CLEANSED FROM ALL IDOLATRY
2. SEEK ELOHIM WITH ALL *YOUR* HEART, KNOWING THAT HE WANTS TO BE WITH YOU WITH ALL *HIS* HEART

## **Rev 3:18-22**

I advise you to buy from Me gold refined in the fire, so that you become rich; and white garments, so that you become dressed, so that the shame of your nakedness might not be shown; and anoint your eyes with ointment, so that you see. <sup>19</sup>As many as I love, I reprove and discipline. So be ardent and repent. <sup>20</sup>See, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I shall come in to him and dine with him, and he with Me. <sup>21</sup>To him who overcomes I shall give to sit with Me on My throne, as I also overcame and sat down with My Father on His throne. <sup>22</sup>He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the assemblies.